Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Rose S. Juhnke was born on January 10, 1905, in Anamoose, North Dakota, the youngest of four children born to Rosina (Reimnitz) and Sebastian Schoessler, both German immigrants; and,

Whereas, Birthdays commemorate the first day of our lives, and we celebrate the birthdays of those we love as we recognize the joys and sorrows we have shared, the strength we have gained from the obstacles and hardships we have conquered, and the small daily pleasures life offers; and,

Whereas, Rose worked for the War Manpower Commission during World War II, which later was called the South Dakota Employment Service, retiring in 1970 as the regional manager of the Pierre office; and,

Whereas, Rose enjoyed several years of foreign travel after her retirement and married Arthur Juhnke in 1967; and,

Whereas, Rose still resides in her own home and loves to share a good story with her nephews and their children and grandchildren; and,

Whereas, Rose will observe her 100th Birthday with all the good wishes, fanfare, and celebration such a milestone warrants, as her friends and relatives gather on January 2, 2005, at the Lutheran Memorial Church in Pierre to honor her and celebrate her life and the camaraderie of the day; and it is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of this milestone in the life of a woman who has lived an exemplary life for all to emulate:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim January 10, 2005, as

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in South Dakota, and I join all her many friends and relatives in wishing her a very happy birthday, good health, and great happiness.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-second Day of November in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Four.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State